

Holy Trinity Church, Colden Common – 13th August 2017

9th Sunday after Trinity

We welcome any newcomers to the church. It would help us to get to know you if you complete one of the welcome cards from the library at the back of the church and hand it to a sidesperson or a Warden.

Readings Proper 14

1st : 1Kings 19. 9 – 18
 2nd : Romans 10.5 – 15
 Gospel : Matthew 14. 22 – 33

Collect

**Gracious Father,
 revive your Church in our day,
 and make her holy, strong and faithful,
 for your glory's sake
 in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen**

We pray for

Our Church	Benefice Quiet Day leaders and observers Fun Days Helen O'Sullivan in Ordination training
The Parish	Hazel Close and Ash Close
To be married	James Davies & Chloe Main Andrew Peden & Katie Wootton
The Sick	Kate Bittles
The Departed	Jean Farmery
Those whose anniversary of death occurs at this time	Tom Beckett Kay Smith John Kennett Joan Jakubowski

Events

Today	2.00 pm Cream Teas in the Church Rooms 6.00 pm Evensong
Tuesday	9.30 am Benefice Quiet Day at St Mary's
Thursday	10.00 am 'Wish you were here' playdays
Friday	10.00 am in the church Rooms.
Saturday	2.00 pm Wedding : James Davies & Chloe Main
Sunday 20 th	9.30 am Parish Eucharist 10 th Sunday after Trinity Proper 15 Readings 1 st : Isaiah 56. 1, 6 – 8 2 nd : Romans 11. 1 – 2a, 29 – 32 Gospel : Matthew 15. 21 – 28 2.00 pm Wedding : Andrew Peden & Katie Wootton

Prayer Requests – in addition to passing on concerns directly to the clergy, there are prayer request cards on the book shelf at the back of the church. They can be left at any time in the box and they will be included in the daily prayers for the parish and, when appropriate, include them on the weekly sheet.

If you know of **anyone who is sick or in hospital**, or would like a visit from a member of the Clergy, please pass the information on to the Vicar or a churchwarden. It is better to receive the information more than once than not at all.

Please take this notice sheet home with you if you wish, as an aid for your personal prayers during the week or to look up the readings before next Sunday's Service.

Special Charity

During August we continue to collect for Winchester and District Young Carers and the fantastic work that they do. Please take time to read the article in the July/August parish magazine.

Also, thank you for your continuing donations of non-perishable items to the Nightshelter.

Notices

This morning, and again next Sunday morning, the Vicar will preside at our Eucharist.

Jane will take Evensong tonight.



Cream Teas will be served again in the church rooms **THIS AFTERNOON**, between 2 and 4 pm. All proceeds will go to church funds and the west end project.

A Service of Thanksgiving for the life of Jean Farmery will be held in church on Monday 21st August at 12.30 pm, followed by burial in the churchyard alongside Jack.

Benefice Quiet Day, THIS Tuesday, 15th August, at St Mary's, Twyford. The theme will be **'Through all the changing scenes of life ...'** and will be led by Margaret Smithson. "a day to reflect on the changes and transitions of our lives and of our journeys of faith, and to look for the presence of God in our past, present and future". From 9.30 for 10am start, with a short time of prayer to begin. The day will finish at 4 with a Eucharist. Join us for the whole day or just part of the day. Refreshments will be provided, but please bring your own lunch.

Some of you will already be aware that **Georges and Chamsa Haidar**, and their 3 grandchildren, have moved to 7 Bailey Close, Stanmore, Winchester, SO22 4DL. We shall miss them all greatly as they have become loyal members of our congregation and community. We shall send a card on behalf of Holy Trinity. If you would like to send your own wishes, then please do so. We shall be collecting together a food hamper of non-perishable goods, over the next few weeks to deliver to them; please pass any donations to Jane or Elaine. Thank you.

Rev'd Jonah's last service will be held at St Mary's Twyford on Sunday 10th September at 11 am. It will be followed by a farewell reception at Colden Common Community Centre. Donations for the finger food buffet are requested – please see either Jane or Elaine for details.

Tickets are on sale now for **Gordon's Summer BarBQ** on Wednesday 23rd August at 6.30 pm for 7 pm, at the church rooms. Entrance by ticket only, £12 for adults, £8 for children, for 2 courses. **Please see Gordon if you are willing to provide a dish of salad or sweet.** Bring your own drink and a chair. Tickets available from Gordon, Jane or Elaine. For church funds and the loo project.

Copies of the August issue of 'The Sign', usually found in the centre of the parish magazine are available at the back of the church. Please take one.

There are copies of the **readings for the month** at the back of the church. Please feel free to take one home with you, if you would like to.